



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Pierre CHAMBAT et al.  
Appl. No. : 09/832,874  
Filed : April 12, 2001  
Title : KNEE PROSTHESIS WITH A ROTATIONAL PLATE

Grp./A.U. : 3738  
Examiner : Snow, Bruce Edward

Docket No.: 14404

Honorable Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Please grant a four (4) month extension of time, until August 28, 2003, in which to respond to the Office Action mailed March 28, 2003. The statutory fee of \$725.00 for the four (4) month extension is attached. Any deficiencies in the extension of time fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1577.

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Respectfully submitted,

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